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REQUEST TO RE-SET MAILING DATE OF OFFICE ACTION FAX RECEIVED

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

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The undersigned received the Office Action dated January 15, 2003, on February 12, 2003. It is noted that the PTO mailed the action to the wrong address and the action was then forwarded to us.

PTO records will show that the undersigned filed a "Declaration and Power of Attorney" in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts. The Power of Attorney was to Crowell & Moring and not to Baker & McKenzie.

Furthermore, in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, a Data Sheet was included indicating that the correspondence customer number is 23911, that is, the number of Crowell & Moring.

Notwithstanding the fact that the PTO has a power of attorney and a data sheet naming Crowell & Moring as the correspondence address, the PTO mailed the action, setting a one-month term for response, to Baker & McKenzie which is located at the other end of the country. Under the circumstances, it is

respectfully submitted that re-setting the date of mailing of the Office Action is in order and the same is respectfully requested.

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I hereby certify that an original of this Request to Re-Set Mailing Date of Office Action is being faxed to Examiner E. J. Kielin at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (fax number: 708-872-9318) on February 13, 2003.

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